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Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to the action dated November 15, 2001, be extended for three months to and including April 15, 2002.

Enclosed is a check for \$920 for the required fee. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

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